

Resolution authorizing a Funding Agreement amendment between the Franklin County Board of Commissioners and Habitat for Humanity of Greater Columbus to administer a Department of Housing & Urban Development (HUD) Neighborhood Stabilization (One) Program activity (Economic Development & Planning) (\$19,000.00)

WHEREAS, Franklin County has been awarded \$5,439,644 under the HUD Neighborhood Stabilization Program to address the problems of abandoned and foreclosed homes; and

WHEREAS, the purpose of the Neighborhood Stabilization Program is to provide targeted emergency assistance to acquire and redevelop foreclosed properties that might otherwise become sources of abandonment and blight within their communities; and

WHEREAS, Habitat for Humanity of Greater Columbus will implement a Neighborhood Stabilization Program activity on behalf of the County, acquiring foreclosed or abandoned properties; rehabilitating those properties and selling those properties to eligible Franklin County families and individuals; and

WHEREAS, under Resolution 227-10 Habitat for Humanity was awarded \$1,356,000 to administer a Neighborhood Stabilization One activity and by adding \$19,000 to that agreement under this amendment (which will be used to provide additional affordable housing services) it will bring the total funding for the project to \$1,375,000; and

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of Commissioners, Franklin County, Ohio

That the attached Funding Agreement amendment to Resolution 227-10 and purchase order in the amount of \$19,000 between the Franklin County Board of Commissioners and Habitat for Humanity of Greater Columbus to administer a HUD Neighborhood Stabilization Program activity is hereby approved.

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